QUESTIONS FOR ANSWERS ON THE DAY

(but not taken up)

STOPPAGE OF LOAN BY KARNATAKA HOUSING BOARD

695. Sri M. S. KRISHNAN (Malleswaram).—

Will the Minister for Transport and Housing be pleased to state:—

(*a*) whether the Karnataka Housing Board has stopped granting Low Income and Middle Income Housing Loans;

(*b*) if so, the reasons therefor and whether there is any proposal to restore it?

Sri K. H. RANGANATH (Minister for Transport and Housing).—

(*a*) Yes.

(*b*) (i) Reasons:—

1. Under the cash loan scheme money gets locked up for 10 to 15 years and there is no ploughing back of the capital for further construction of Houses by Housing Board.

2. In lieu of the cash loans 3 new schemes havebeen sanctioned for S.Cs. and S.Ts. and economically Weaker sections of the People, Low Income Group of People and Middle Income Group of people. In these schemes, there is 25 per cent down payment to take up further construction of houses by the Karnataka Housing Board.

(ii) There is no proposal to restore cash loans.

BOARD OF DHARMADARSHIS OF SRI VEERABHADRASWAMY TEMPLE OF HASADE VILLAGE.

717. Sri K. M. RUDRAPPA (Sakleshpur).—

Will the Minister for Revenue be pleased to state:—

(*a*) whether it has come to the notice of Government that six members out of nine of the Board of Dharmadarshis of Sri Veerabhadraswamy Temple of Hasade Village, Kasaba Hobli, Sakleshpur Taluk have resigned their memberships;

(*b*) whether it is a fact that the Government have not nominated members from Hasade Village but persons from neighbouring village are nominated as members;

(*c*) whether represétnations from Hasade villagers urging for re-constitution of the Board of Dharmadarshis have been received;